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'Familiar Plea'

I very much enjoyed your editorial on "The Constitution and Mr. Kelley", November 27. The old "we did it for the people and would do it again" plea by Mr. Kelley is all too familiar. Hitler ran disinformation and propaganda campaigns on the Jews, who at that time were also supposedly "bringing Germany to its knees."

Innocent citizens' lives have been ruined by false reports and fabricated data in police dossiers. With all these "dirty tricks", federal crime continues to skyrocket.

Nixon and Hoover are gone now, but the show goes on and Mr. Kelley seems to be the new star. The sad part is that the American public is forced into the show instead of being the audience. I wonder if the FBI was listed under the "White Hate Groups."

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